

Vacancy Announcement

Fire Protection Specialist GS-0081-07/08

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Announcement Number: NW0081

Date Opens: December 10, 2004

Date Closes: December 24, 2004

Location: Washington Navy Yard and

National Naval Medical Center

Vacancies: 4-Washington, DC

1-Bethesda, MD

Area of Consideration: Current DON Only

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About the Job: The position serves as a Fire Protection Inspector within the Fire Prevention Division, Fire Protection Department located at National Naval Medical Center. Incumbent is responsible for assisting the Fire Chief in establishing an effective fire prevention program. Incumbent is responsible for carrying out the program through the inspection of all buildings, areas and operations throughout the various commands and tenant activities, through training, contact with officials and enforcement of fire regulations. Incumbent is responsible for the inspection of property, enforcement of codes, and protection of valuable property. These and other duties demand a degree of integrity

and honesty. The nature of the position requires a high degree of motivation, emotional stability and maturity due to the teamwork and close cooperation demanded to insure efficiency and safety.

Qualifications: OPM requires one year of specialized experience equivalent to the next lower grade level. DoD Fire and Emergency Services minimum qualification standards and certificates are Fire Inspector I and II, Fire Instructor I, and Hazmat Awareness. Incumbent must also be able to attend and pass the Emergency Vehicle Operators Course.

Knowledge Required by the Position: In the body of your resume please address the following:

Knowledge and ability to comply with rules, regulations, assignments, instructions and codes which have been adopted by DoD, DON, NNMC and Fire Protection/Prevention Division.

Knowledge of firefighting appliances, DON, National Fire Protection Association Codes, DoD instructions and guidelines.

Knowledge of established Fire Department concepts, principles and practices and a thorough knowledge of technical fire prevention requirements necessary for conditions of high fire expectancy and severity.

Knowledge and ability to carry out an effective fire prevention and fire protection systems inspection and maintenance program.

Ability to communicate both orally and in writing.

Knowledge of chemicals, explosives and other materials to recognize hazards in the handling or storage of items.

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